

Amendment to the Specification:

In the Title

Change the Title to:

Multijunction Solar Cell with a Bypass Diode

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On page 1, after the Title, insert:

REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application is a continuation of US Patent Application Serial No. 09/999,598, filed October 24, 2001, now US Patent No. 6,680,432.

This application is also related to US Patent Application Serial No. 10/773,343 filed February 6, 2004, which is a continuation application of US Application Serial No. 10/280,593 filed on October 24, 2002, which is a continuation-in-part of US Application Serial No. 09/999,598, filed October 24, 2001.

On page 13, in the Abstract, cancel lines 5-12 and substitute:

A multijunction solar cell, including first and second solar cells on a substrate with a bypass diode integral to a portion of the first solar cell for passing current when the multijunction solar cell is shaded. The first solar cell is epitaxially grown on a first portion and the layers of the diode are epitaxially grown on a second portion of the substrate, respectively, in the same process as the layers forming the first solar cell.